# Amusements

POLKS

"Carmen" the great feature picture presented to patrons of Poli's palatial theatre on Main street, with Theda Bara, the world's most wicked woman on the screen, is breaking all capacity records. Though known to be thrill-ing in the saurements reality is far be-yound expectations for in the atmos-phere of old Spain that is recorded with fidelity the great builtight in its desperate flaring, and the leap of horse and rider over an eighty foot ciff, there is a charm and fascina-tion about which people talk.

Lew Williams "Tango Revolution. with its pretty girls, its musical comedy, has brought the lovers of snappy ayas, and lyrics to repeated perform-

Athletes, lovers of the manly art, boy Sonuts, and physical culturists have paid devoted tribute to George M. Brown, the world's champion walker, who appears for the last time oday in his novel and exciting exhi-

Prime favorites on the special fea-tured bill now appearing Franklin Water & Company in their cleverly concocted act "The Man of The Even-ing": Pisano & Bingham who put over their Ceitic and Italian repar-tee in A-4 style; Emmett & Tonge, in their enticing offering "Bits of Melody" and Mogarto whose wonders upon the wierd stringed and wind in-struments are the talk of musicians. Coming Monday is Captain Louis Sorch export submarine diver and engineer who with his great glass sank will show how the Lusitania sank now bodies were recovered from the Eastland, how the Arabic was abticked by torpede and through the ourtesy of Simon Lake will display

#### PLAZA

the only operating submarine model

Carron and Farnum, two of the eleverest contedy acrobats in the vaudeville world, are headlining the Plaza's vaudeville program for today and their efforts are provoking roars of laughter at every performance. The remainder of the vaudeville is

equally good and included Keeley Bros. & Co. in a very funny offering in which some clever bag punching by each members of the troupe is being greatly appreciated; Holden and Harron, a classy pair in a singing and talking diversion that is out of the ordinary, and The Winsome Harmonists, a trio-of strkingly pretty young women in an excellent instrumental

"The Brink" a four-part Mutual Masterplebure based upon a story that makes you hold your breath at frequent intervals is one of the delightful features of the bill. The action is tense throughout and the spectator is carried swiftly through a series of gripping incidents leading to one of the most effective climaxes ever conceived:

"A Rascal's Wolfish Ways," "Loclaimed the funniest two-reel Key-stone comedy to be seen locally in months, has an important spot.

The fourth installment of the popular, "Adventures of Jack London In the South Sea Islands" and "The Mystery of Dead Man's Islands" complete the attractions.

### LYRIC

The three-act comedy, "Gver Night" has its principal scene of action along the American Rhine, abourd the stoamer "Hendrick Hudson" the other two acts transpiring in the "Rip Van Winkle Inny" in the Catskills. In this up, which is to be presented at the Lyric theatre throughout next week, by Cecil Spooner and her com-pany of players, there is sufficient comedy material possessed to supply the requirements of fully a half dozen modernly written and constructed plays of a similar nature. The action revolves about two couples about the boat, headed for the same destination, and in which the loss of a dress suit case plays a very import-antp art in a series of embarrassing complications in which a male and female member of both parties find esults merrily after the comic muddle is cleared. In addition to the complete list of Cecil Spooner company of favorites, Edna May Spooner will again be in the already big cast of favorites who have formed them gelves into Bridgeport favorites.

#### CEMPIRE

Man Plainerd is to be seen at her little Japanese girl in the five part Famous Players' Masterpiece, "Ma-dame Butterfly," white will be shown for the last time at this theatre to-

Differ Interesting as well as entertrining features will round out the seoct photopiay program.
On Monday and Tuesday, "The Mummy and the Humming Rird." a Paramount masterplece, feature, will be the featured attraction, featuring Charles Cherry. Charles Cherry.

#### BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

A licelley car was stoned and badly damaged by strikers when an attempt was made to operate a car at Wilkes-Barge, Pa.

Heavy rains extinguished forest Columbia if supper isn't rains which destroyed about 10,000 ute he gets in the house. acres of timber in the vicinity of A man may forgive a Lewisburg. Wolfabr sessed land

The Haftian Senets approved the treaty with the United States providing the American protection over the

Coffee, tea and cores were added to the list of products whose sale will be regulated by the German sovernment.

ment wenered thed the bles among A man who registered as John Law of Philadelphia, committed suicide at the Broadway Central hotel, New York!

Columbia's eight-cared varsity crew defeated the Yale crew in a mile and seven-eights race at New Haven

Barney Corn. allas "Jew Barney." was acquitted in New York of the murder of Charles Miller, clerk of the Hotel Atlas.

JUST ARRIVED. PRENCH AND DUTCH BULBS

# Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Queens. The gambler and his wife won't fight For she knows what he means When he says, "I had luck last night. I caught three lovely queens. -Cincinnati Engulrer.

Paw Knows Everything. Willie - Paw, what is a chronic

Paw-A man who is never happy unless he isn't, my son.

Truth is elastic; but, my son, A warning I'll now bring you; You shouldn't try to stretch it, for It may fly back and sting you.

"I suppose people have to trust a doctor when they are sick," said the law-

"Yes," replied the doctor, "and the doctor has to trust people when they get well."

Husbands. A cobbler's wife once said to me, "My husband has a past, But he is good now, although he is not too good to last." -Cincinnati Enquirer.

A plumber's wife once did remark, "My man's the proper type;
He is no dope fiend even though
He daily hits the pipe."

-Allentown Democrat.

A printer's wife once said to me, "My husband wouldn't lie, He says he's not a baker, but te says he's not a

He makes a lot of pi."

Altoona Times.

A fealous man's wife told me once
With a dejected mien.
"My husband's not a painter.
But he often makes a scene."
—Houston Post.

The Wise Fool "A man should mind his own bustness and not get mixed up in the troubles of other people." advised the sage. "Not always," added the fool. lawyer would starve to death if he followed that advice."

> Be Careful. Believe all that you say, my son,
> But, if you would not grieve,
> Be careful that you do not say
> All that you may believe.

Names to Names. Will Ware travels for a shoe com-

> Safety First. Spring's on her way,
> 'fis true, don't scoff;
> But, just the same,
> Don't take 'em off.

For Chickens Only. Have your feathers cleaned now. It will pay you. Phone 1212. N. B. Chapin.-Ad. in a Michigan Exchange.

Mistake. His married life is one long fuss,
It makes his poor head ache;
So he'll ask a divorce and thus
Correct his fool miss-take.

Things to Worry About. A coating of casein will make linen stronger.

la He Corn Fed? named him Luke McLuke. I trust you A. D. have no objections. He has all the other roosters in the neighborhood whipped to a frazzle, and he is some crower.-A Zanesville Admirer.

Our Daily Special. Every minute brings the psychological moment.

whole lot of things every day that you

Ever notice that an old junk dealer ing his wagon? The grouchy reformers who are al-

ways throwing cold water on the pleasures of others in this world will be kept busy throwing hot brimstone on one another in the next world.

What has become of the old fashloned man who used to hire a sea going night liner cab and travel around all night killing Chinamen?

It would help some if we did more praying on Sunday and less preying on room is occupied by people. the other six days. The man who is quick to take offense never has any trouble in locating

The man who wants to fight because a newspaper prints two lines about him when he gets arrested is the same fellow who gets mad because a news-

paper didn't print two columns about him when he celebrates his birthday. The man who has to use the street cars gets a lot of pleasure out of read-

ing the automobile ads. When he first gets her she gets heavenly bliss out of his homecoming caresses. But after awhile she gets Hail Columbia if supper isn't ready the min-

A man may forgive a lad who sets fire to orphan asylums and robs poor boxes. But the best he can ever say for a man who steals his turn in a barber shop is that he is a lowdown Si-

wash snake eater. The man who never had more than \$10 at one time in his life is usually the lad who examines his change close ly when he reads that there is a coun terfelt one-hundred dollar bill in circu

Whig and Tory. The word "whig" means a pack saddle thief; the word "tory" a band of robbers.

Buffaloes are said to be the most obstinate of all wild animals in the matter of training.

Industry. It is not enough to be industrious. So are the ants. What are you industrious about ?- Thoreau.

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ed in the usual way can be cleaned in this way: Make a strong soapsuds of

some good soap and allow the lace to remain in it for several hours at least. although it is well to shake it out oc casionally. A wide mouthed bottle is most convenient to handle. When the lace is thoroughly soaked let the soapy water out of the bottle and keep adding clean water until the soap has all been removed from the lace. Do not handle the lace at all; shaking the bottle will rinse it thoroughly.

Cleaning Lace.

Lace that is too delicate to be wash

If the lace is narrow wind it round a bottle that has been covered with a piece of soft finnnel, and do not remove it until it is dry. If it is too wide to care for in that way dry it on a large cushion. First cover the cushe ion with a heavy towel, then pin the points of the lace in place and allow it to dry. It is better not to use steel pins on account of the danger from rust. When dry the lace will look like new .- Youth's Companion.

East Indian Traders. The native of India is a keen trader, none too scrupulous, and does business on a small margin. It is said that he retails goods so close that his profit is made by selling the packing box. Natives become landlords by the purchase of a piano shipping case. This would be divided into two compartments by a board. The lower section would be rented for a few cents a month to a sliversmith; the upper leased to a dbursie or native shirt maker, while on top a cap merchant displayed his wares. Incomes are so small that the individual who owns a "hubble bubble" or water pipe has several rubber tubes connected with it, and for a "pice," one-sixteenth of a cent, allows patrons to have one puff. I mention these facts to give a real glimpse of conditions. Despite this, I know this market is worthy of our best efforts.-W.

Greased the Wheels. Some years ago an American busi-

E. Aughinbaugh in Leslie's.

ness man, wishing to get freight through a Russian port, approached the government agent with a request for expedition. He was told delivery might be made in some weeks. The American protested that he must have those goods Immediately.

"Have a cigar," said the Russian offi-cial, pushing a box toward the American and leaving the room. The American opened the box, found it empty and dropped in fifty rubles. The Russian came back, looked at the box, pushed it toward the viritor and, as he again left the room, remarked,

"Have another cigar." The American dropped fifty more rubles in the box. The Russian official returned, looked at the cigar box and politely remarked, "Your goods will be delivered tomorrow, sir."-Wall Street Journal.

A Famous Status. The great temple of Zeus Olympius at Olympia, Greece, was 354 feet long and 171 wide. The columns of this famous shrine were sixty feet in height and six and a half feet in diameter and are the largest which now remain of ancient architecture in marble. Sixteen of the wonderful columns are still standing and are among the most imposing in the world. In this temple stood the colossal statue of Zeus, forty feet high, on a pedestal of twenty. This statue was the masterpiece of Phidias, the world's greatest artist, and so famous was it that it was considered a calamity to die without seeing it. The immortal work was removed Dear Luke-I have a very fancy Constantinople by Theodosius I. and white Leghorn rooster, and I have was destroyed by fire in the year 475

Blackwell's Island. The price of Blackwell's island when it was purchased by New York city was \$50,000, paid to Robert Blackwell, the owner, who had married the daughter of the English captain Manning, who in 1673 surrendered New York eity to the Dutch. When the Luke McLuke Says:

You learn a few things and forget a tired to Blackwell's island, then known English resumed control Manning reas Hog island, and after his death it became the property of his daughter and son-in-law. It was sold in 1838 to always has that kind of a horse draw- New York city and since has been in use for various correctional and char-

Ventilation.

Itable institutions.

Changing of the air in a room once or twice a day is not sufficient. Ventilating a room while it is not occupied is not sufficient either. Two or three occupants of a closed room will vitiate the air in it in a few minutes. Ventilation should be most active while a

An Important Consideration. "Poverty," said Mr. Dustin Stax, "is no disgrace.

"No," replied Mr. Growcher. "Poverty is like wealth in one way. The amount of respect attached to it depands entirely on how you came by it." -Washington Star.

Exceptions. "A soft answer turns away wrath." "Don't you believe it. My wife asked me yesterday how I liked her biscuits, and I said they were mush."-

Baltimore American. Follow One Another. Things always bring with them their own philosophy-that is, prudence. No man acquires property without acquiring with it also a little arithmetic .-

Good and Sufficient Reason. Editor-But, my good fellow, why do you bring this poem to me? Impecunious One - Well, sir, because I hadn't a stamp, sir.-London Tatler.

Caged Birds. The old notion that caged birds, upon being set free, are immediately set upon and killed by wild birds has been found to be untrue by experiments.

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Ordinance De Unnecessary Noises on

nance was adopted, to wit;

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An Ordinance Relative to Unnecessary Noises Upon the City Streets Be it Ordained by the Common Section 1. No person shall shout or call or sound any gong, whistie, bell or other device upon the streets of the city for the purpose of advertising or calling attention to his trade as huckster of peddler or for the purpose of advertising or calling attention to any goods, wares or merchandise which e may be selling or offering to sell

r have for salt.
Section 2 No person driving or ropelling any vehicle of any descripicn upon the success of the cit; shall ould any hera, gong or bell or when device except so far as the same shall reasonably necessary to give due varning of his approach or to comply th the traffic laws under the ste

tes and ordinances relative thereto. Section a. This section shall not pply to any parade or other demon tration under Reense granted by the roper authorities of the city. Section 4. Any person violating this ordinance apull pay a fine of not more than one Lundred dollars.

thout the cipioval of the may y virtue of the elapse of thirty-five lays without his vetoing it. Attest: J. ALEX. ROBINSON,

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